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DESTROYED T-54/55 TANKS NEAR MITLA PASS, SINAI PENINSULA 29-56N 032-48E

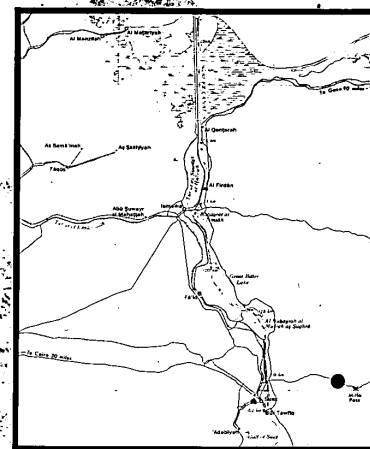


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REFERENCE TO: GIANT REACH MISSION

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DESTROYED T-54/55 TANKS
NEAR MITLA PASS, SINAI PENINSULA

1. SIGNIFICANCE: DESTROYED T-54/55 TANKS WERE OBSERVED
IN THE SINAI.
2. LOCATION: THE TANKS WERE APPROXIMATELY SIX NAUTICAL
MILES (NM) SOUTHWEST OF THE ACCESS ROAD
TO THE MITLA PASS AT 29-56-15N 032-48-20E.
3. MISSION READOUT: TWO DESTROYED T-54/55 TANKS AND TWO
DESTROYED PROBABLE T-54/55 TANKS WERE OBSERVED IN THE SINAI.
IN ADDITION, ONE DISABLED/ABANDONED T-54/55 TANK (NOT SHOWN
ON GRAPHIC) WAS OBSERVED IN THE VICINITY, APPROXIMATELY 0.5
NM NORTHWEST OF THE FOUR DESTROYED TANKS. THIS TANK DID NOT
APPEAR TO HAVE ISRAELI AIRCRAFT RECOGNITION MARKINGS,
INDICATING THESE ARE PROBABLY EGYPTIAN TANKS. THIS WOULD
REPRESENT THE DEEPEST EGYPTIAN PENETRATION INTO THE SINAI
OBSERVED TO DATE.

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